the question. They should realise that the total implementation of the Goswami Committee Report will mean that tomorrow you will have to wind up the entire fertilizer industry. The entire agriculture sector will be affected. Therefore, Madam, my point is that killing is not the remedy to sickness.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Please put your question.

SHRI JIBON ROY: Care and treatment is the remedy, which the Government is not doing. Madam, the thrust of the Goswami Committee Report is requisition. I want to know whether the Finance Ministry will constitute another Committee associating people who know the industry and the trade unions to recomend the viability of the industry. These are my questions.

डा. अबरार अहमद: मैडम, कमेटी के सदस्य उचित प्रकार के थे, या संबंधित थे या नहीं थे, यह बात बिल्कुल आउट आफ काज है। जहां तक सुझाव, क्या माने जायेंगे उसमें से, क्या नहीं माने जायेंगे, कितने माने जायेंगे, आंशिक माने जायेंगे या पूरे माने जायेंगे, तो महोदया, मैंने बहुत स्पष्ट कहा है कि उस रिपोर्ट पर विचार किया जा रहा है। संबंधित अलग-अलग पक्षों से भी बातचीत की जा रही है और किस रूप में कार्यान्वित होगी, कितनी होगी, यह जब तक उस पर विचार पूरा न हो जाये, यह कम से कम आज की तारीख में बताना मुश्किल है। इसलिए मैंने बहुत स्पष्ट कहा कहा कि ..... (व्यवधान)

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Please, Mr. Jibon Roy. I have to remind you that while the Minister is answering, it is impolite to get up and ask. I want to hear. If you are not interested, at least, I am interested.

Mr. Y. Sivaji.

DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Madam.....

SHRI JIBON RAY : The hon. Minister said that the Coswami Committee Report will be discussed here.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : We will discuss it when we get the time in the House.

DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Madam, I would like to know whether the Board for Industrial and Financial Reconstruction said on the 23rd August that the Goswami Committee has adopted rather a myopic view of the concept of industrial sickness and rehabilitation. I would like to know whether the Finance Minister went on record that if the recommendations of the Goswami Committee Report are accepted, 80 per cent of the industry in this country will become sick and, if so, what the feeling is of the Government on the remarks of the BIFR. I want to know whether the Finance Minister holds the same view that if the recommendations are accepted, 80 per cent of industries will become sick and, if so, what steps the Government have proposed to face this situation.

डा. अबरार अहमद : महोदय, सवाल वही है कि क्रियान्वयन के बारे में सरकार क्या सोच रही है। मैंने बहुत स्पष्ट कहा है कि अभी उसमें जो भी सुझाव दिये गये हैं उन पर विचार किया जा रहा है। अलग अलग पक्षों से बातचीत हो रही है। कंसलटेटिव कमेटी ने भी डिसकस किया है। तो क्रियान्वयन के बारे में अभी विचार चल रहा है। अभी कोई निर्णय नहीं लिया गया है।

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Question No. 265.

## NEW GUIDELINES FOR ADVERTISING PROGRAMMES

*265. SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO : Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether his Ministry proposes to review its present policy on advertising in the Government media, T.V. and Radio ;

(b) whether it is also a fact that viewership of TV varies according to the time of the programme; and

(c) if so, whether Government propose to have a different set of advertising facilities for TV according to the time allotted for each programme ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Such a system is already in operation.

SHRI V. HANUMANTHA RAO : Madam, only when Doordarshan gets good revenue, it can improve its programmes and news coverage. The entry of foreign TV and Cable TV is taking away a good portion of TV advertisements and revenue. This will continue unless Doordarshan and All India Radio review their present policies. Madam, there are many products which are banned on Doordarshan which are being advertised on international cable network television. My question is : Will Doordashan review its policies in this matter and try to increase its revenue ?

SHRI K. P. SINGH DEO : The Member is very right, Madam.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Question Hour is over.

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## WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

### MALFUNCTIONING OF STD SYSTEM IN RAJASTHAN

*266. SHRI RAJENDRA PRASAD MODY : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are aware that S.T.D. system installed in Rajasthan is not working properly;

(b) if so, the reasons thereof;

(c) whether it is also a fact that calls from Delhi and other places of the country do not materialise for months together; and

(d) if so, what are the reasons thereof and what remedial steps are proposed to be taken to redress the grievances of the people ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SUKH RAM) : (a) and (d) The STD system in Rajasthan is generally working satisfactorily at the present stage of expansion in STD services.

(c) Calls from Delhi and other cities to some stations in Rajasthan are not materialising.

(d) Incoming STD calls from Delhi and cities outside Rajasthan to some sections in Rajasthan are not materialising due to the fact that STD service is provided on trial basis and the STD codes have not been wired in Trunk Automatic Exchanges (TAXs) outside Rajasthan. It is due to the fact that the required tests are yet to be completed. The steps taken to redress the grievances are as given below :

(i) The required tests are being conducted progressively and the new STD Codes are wired in TAXs outside Rajasthan after the successful completion of these tests;

(ii) Two more TAXs at Kotah and Udaipur are being opened in Rajasthan during 1993-94;

(iii) Capacity of existing TAXs is proposed to be increased in 1994-95, besides opening TAXs at Ajmer, Pali; and Eikaner.

(iv) The overhead lines used for providing STD facility at present are planned to be replaced by reliable media like, Cable, Radio during 1994-95 progressively.

### TELEGRAPH, TELEPHONE AND POSTAL FACILITIES IN GUJARAT